

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly replace claims 3, 4, 7-9, and 12-17, and add new claim 25 as follows.

3. (Amended) The resin according to claim 1, wherein the content of sulfur atoms is 500 ppm or less.

4. (Amended) The resin according to claim 1, wherein the content of alkali metal atoms is 10 ppm or less.

7. (Amended) The composition according to claim 5, wherein an initial mixing viscosity at the time of mixing the component (A) and the component (B) together at 20° C is in a range of 10 to 10,000 mPa·s.

8. (Amended) The composition according to claim 5, wherein a time required for a viscosity after mixing of the component (A) and the component (B) to become twice as much as the initial mixing viscosity is in a range of 2 to 20 hours.

9. (Amended) The composition according to claim 5, wherein the compound having isocyanate groups is a polycyclic alicyclic polyisocyanate or its modification.

12. (Amended) The composition according to claim 5, wherein the compound having isocyanate groups is at least one compound selected from the group consisting of diisocyanatomethylbenzene, bis(1-isocyanato-1,1-methylethyl)benzene, 4,4'-diisocyanato-

dicyclohexylmethane, 1-isocyanato-3,5,5-trimethyl-3-isocyanatomethylcyclohexane and bisisocyanatomethylcyclohexane.

13. (Amended) The composition according to claim 5, wherein the compound having hydroxyl groups is a compound having at least two hydroxyl groups.

14. (Amended) The composition according to claim 13, wherein the content of alkali metal atoms in the compound having at least two hydroxyl groups is 10 ppm or less.

15. (Amended) The composition according to claim 5, which has a glass transition temperature of at least 75°C after cured.

16. (Amended) The composition according to claim 5, which has a refractive index of 1.45 to 1.80 as measured by using a D line from a helium light source after cured.

17. (Amended) The composition according to claim 5, which has
a ΔE of 1.5 or less as measured after irradiation for 600 hours by a sunshine weatherometer using a carbon arc lamp after cured,
a ΔE of 1.5 or less after treating for 300 hours in a thermostatic chamber having a relative humidity of 90% and a temperature of 80°C,
a content of sulfur atoms of 500 ppm or less, and
a content of alkali metal atoms of 10 ppm or less.

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25. (New) The composition according to claim 12, wherein the content of alkali metal atoms in the compound having at least two hydroxyl groups is 10 ppm or less.

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